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PERSONAL.

Arthur Gunster has returned to Princeton University.

Rev. P. J. Golden, of the cathedral, is spending a short vacation in Connecticut.

Miss Rose Canavan, of the Fashion, has returned from a three weeks' visit to New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peck are enjoying a trip through northern New York and along the St. Lawrence.

Miss Clara Rebecca Hughes, of Franklin, is visiting Union friends. She will be absent several weeks.

Reese Watkins, range master of the Thirteenth regiment, accompanied by his wife, left for New York yesterday and will return tomorrow on one of the Cunard steamships for Wales.

Librarian R. J. Carr, of the Albright library, accompanied by his wife, is attending a meeting of the National Librarians' association at Lake Placid in the Adirondacks. They will return to this city about Oct. 1.

On Sunday the annual convention of the grand council of Atlantic jurisdiction of the Young Men's institute will begin at Louisville, Ky. Last night the following delegates representing local councils were for Louisville: M. H. McDonough, Milton; James Crane, Dunmore; Richard Sheridan and John B. O'Malley, South Side, and James Grayson, central city. Mr. Grayson was tendered a supper at the Scranton House last night before his departure by members of the central city council.

Charles P. O'Malley was yesterday admitted to practice at the Lackawanna county bar, on motion of Attorney E. N. Willard. Mr. O'Malley has for several years acted as stenographer for the law firm of Willard, Warren & Knapp and had these gentlemen as his preceptors in his law studies. He has shown a special aptitude for his chosen profession and promises to become conspicuous among the younger members of the bar who during recent years have been winning such golden opinions from the members of the legal profession of the state by their brilliant work.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Under this heading short letters of interest will be published when accompanied, for publication, by the writer's name. But THE TRIBUNE will not be held responsible for opinions here expressed.

THE EQUINOCTIAL STORM.

Editor of THE TRIBUNE:

Sir: Kindly permit me to correct a couple of typographical errors which crept into my article under the above title on Wednesday. First, instead of "nothing could be" more further from the truth," as the types made me to say—the manuscript meant to say "nothing could be much further from the truth." But the second error is of greater importance from a scientific point, inasmuch as it changes the meaning entirely, and were it not for this I would not have troubled you. In speaking of the earth being divided into two equal parts, it should read "150 degrees of sun," and not "180 degrees of sun." Hoping that I have not overburdened your good will, I remain,

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MARRIED.

BIEFENBERG—MOTT—Sept. 19, at the residence of the Penn Avenue Baptist church, Wednesday evening, Miss Lizzie Mott to Henry A. Biefenberg, by the Rev. Warren G. Partridge.

LISTER—COLVIN—In the Baptist church, Dalton, Pa., on Wednesday evening, Sept. 19, by Rev. James Hildreth, Alfred Emory Lister and Miss Bertha Louise Colvin, of Glenbury, Pa.

HILL—JONES—At the residence of the Penn Avenue church, Sept. 20, by Rev. Warren G. Partridge, Miss Louise Jones to Daniel J. Hill.

## THE POWER OF WOMAN

Christian Temperance Union, of This County,  
in Session at Moscow.

ADDRESS BY MRS. FRANC T. VAIL.

Ladies Are Enthusiastic in the Cause of Temperance—Reports of Last Year Very Satisfactory—Excellent Addresses Upon the Work of the Convention—Mrs. Clara Hoffman, of Missouri, Will Speak in Scranton.

The eighth annual convention of the Lackawanna County Women's Christian Temperance union opened at the Methodist Episcopal church, Moscow, yesterday afternoon under the presidency of Mrs. D. B. Hand, of Scranton. Mrs. M. Dupue conducted the devotional exercises.

Mrs. Emma Stanley, on behalf of the local unions delivered an address of welcome in which she dealt with the question of how best to overcome the legalized liquor traffic, and thought the day was not far distant when the state would no more license a man to sell drink than license him to steal a man's jewelry, and quoted Lord Rosberry's utterance: "If the state does not control the liquor traffic the liquor traffic will soon control the state." In closing her address, she said: "Let us take 'Home, Sweet Home' as our motto and let it remind us all sections to meet the foe and fight for the great cause, which is daily growing."

Rev. S. C. Simpkins, pastor of the church, greeted them as part of a mighty army arrayed in constant battle against the deadly foe. Already the power of women in their battle for purity was heard in the crisis of victory from Kentucky. He not only offered hearty welcome to the delegates, but his deepest sympathy in their great work.

MRS. VAIL'S REMARKS.

Mrs. Franc T. Vail, of Scranton, responded on behalf of the union and said that it seemed almost unnecessary for those who had preceded her upon the platform to express such words of welcome to members of their own households. Continuing, she said:

"Our county convention plays an important part in the building up and fostering of that spirit of unity and co-operation without which, organized work lacks vital power and effectiveness. We expect in this session to have, in a great degree, the elements which we need for encouragement and instruction. A convention is certainly the fountain from which comes enthusiasm that inspires great enterprises. We come today to learn from each other the lessons of experience, sacrifice, patience and endurance and other lessons which come to a hand of such true and faithful workers. Oh that we might be filled with the fire of enthusiasm to stir up the church which already bewails the deadness and inactivity of its people. They want a resurrection time in the shape of a revival. Today when we, as an organization with other women of equal qualification, may have the power and desire to enter the temple of law through the gateway of politics."

ONLY A QUESTION OF TIME.

"We are not dead, the steady thump, thump, thump of the union hammer is heard and felt continually in the fifteen different sections of the county and never does it fail in hitting the nail upon the head and it is only a matter of time, when we shall take possession of the guns of power. Our object today is to strengthen each other and encourage those who may have grown weary or faint hearted. Let us help each other to adjust the invincible armor of God that we may be able to stand against the men of the devil for we wrestle not against flesh and blood but against principalities, and powers and against the ruler of darkness of this world. Let us look forth and with joyful anticipations to the time when we shall meet in the great convention where we shall have the privilege of laying all our sheaves at the feet of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ."

OTHER ADDRESSES DELIVERED.

The presidential address was then delivered by Mrs. D. B. Hand, who discussed the main features of the work of the past year and work of the convention.

The report of the corresponding secretary was read showing that there were 379 active members and forty-two honorary members. Seventy new members were recorded during the past year. A new lodge at Green Ridge had been organized during the past year with thirty members. The treasurer's report showed a satisfactory condition of finances.

The president called upon W. F. Clements, J. E. Loveland and Rev. Henry Wardle, of Moscow, to address the meeting and their remarks were highly appreciated. The reports of unions were then read in rotation and indicated a remarkable progress of the union throughout the country.

The various committees for the ensuing year were named by the president. Mrs. Goodwin, of Green Ridge, sang "Abide With Me" with excellent taste.

The President then introduced Mrs. Clara Hoffman, of Missouri, who addressed the meeting and congratulated the meeting upon the healthy condition of the union in Pennsylvania. Mrs. Hoffman will address a meeting at the Frothingham hall on Friday and at Elm Park church on Sunday evening.

The evening session was called to order at 7:30 when Mrs. T. B. Horns, of Scranton, conducted the devotional services and an excellent address was delivered by Mrs. Clara Hoffman.

Today the county executive committee will meet at 8:30 a. m. At 10:30 the morning session will be held, and several papers will be read upon subjects of temperance, religion, social and political work. At the 2 p. m. session the officers for the ensuing year will be elected and delegates to the state convention will be appointed. The attendance at the convention is exceedingly large.

Female Department.

Dr. Reeves has opened a female department at his handsome offices, No. 413 Spruce street, Scranton. All ladies who "delicacy" has heretofore kept them away from "male physicians" may now receive examination, service and treatment by one of their own sex.

ANOTHER NEW INDUSTRY.

Photo Engraving Manufacture with the Latest Appliances in Scranton.

And still another industry is to locate in this city. It has seemed desirable for some time to have a photo engraving establishment in Scranton, and merchants and printers now have to send to New York or to Philadelphia to have such work done in an artistic and workmanlike manner.

These occasions considerable delay. Some prominent Scrantonians have therefore purchased in New York the complete machinery and outfit for

making the finest kind of work in that line and will start a manufactory here thoroughly equipped with electric lights and motors for day and night work. They will be ready for operations about Oct. 1. Allen Norton Leete will be the general manager of the new enterprise.

HE HAD SORE FEET.

But His Pedals Worked Well Enough in His Flight.

Mrs. William Ruble, of 429 Blickens court, on the West Side, proprietress of a boarding house, paid a visit to police headquarters yesterday and told the police that a young man, well dressed and of respectable demeanor, called at her house at noon the day before and asked for board. He said he would pay his board in advance, was at once shown to his room. He remained with the excuse that he had sore feet and wished to change his socks.

That was the last Mrs. Ruble saw of him. One of her neighbors told her that the man was seen leaving the house in a hurried and suspicious manner. When she went upstairs her husband's watch and chain, and a pocket book containing \$5 were missing.

The sneak thief's age is about 35, his height medium and he wore green glasses. The value of the watch is \$25.

At the Theaters.

Powell, the illusionist and wonder-worker, gave a splendid exhibition of what in the past was known as "black art," at the Academy of Music last night. He proved his right to stand in the same class as Kellar and Hermann by the cleverness with which he performed the most difficult and amazing tricks.

His rapid transit or substitution, Noah's ark and the incantation illusions are among the most wonderful ever seen in the city. They amazed the audience. Aside from these illusions, the sleight of hand performance was extremely clever.

Tonight "The Trolley System" will be seen at the Academy of Music. The company contains Robert Garnella and Richard Garnella, who some years ago appeared in this city as unequalled acrobats. The production will be given with more pretension than usual in performance of this class, as each act is set with special scenery. The Garnella will be assisted by Annie Russell, who was last with Hallen and Hart, Annie Ott, J. Hunt, Lea Michael, Harry Himp and others in minor characters.

It is probable that no lecturer ever had more recalls to lecture than the eloquent Colonel Bain, who will speak in the Frothingham hall to night. He holds his audience as if by a spell until the echoes of his last words have died away. Bishop Vincent says of Bain: "He is a man of superior ability. You need not fear to put him on any platform in America." The Louisville Courier-Journal says of him: "He is a true man and his views are tempered with kindness."

"In the Name of the Czar," which will be seen at the Academy on Saturday evening, deals with a Russian question, and the scene is laid in Russia, but many of the characters are American. Edward Brant, a young actor of great prominence, will essay the leading role, and the company throughout is said to be strong.

The appearance of Frederick Ward and Louis James in a performance of "Julius Caesar" at the Frothingham theater next Monday evening is a guarantee of an interesting and instructive entertainment to all lovers of the drama in its best form. These two stars hold an enviable position in the dramatic world, not only for their abilities but also for the general excellency of their company and the completeness as to the detail of their performances. Lately they have been elaborating upon the staging of their plays and are credited with having a number of beautiful productions in their repertoire, prominent among which is "Julius Caesar." The feature in this play is in the third act, representing the senate chamber of the capitol at Rome, which was modeled from the most reliable authorities on Roman architecture and construction. The Frothingham stage is adapted in spaciousness to set these grand spectacles correctly and historically complete. Sale of seats and boxes commences Friday morning at 9 o'clock at the box office.

Mario Wainwright's new play, "Daughters of Eve," which she will present at the Academy on Monday, Sept. 24, was written expressly for her by A. E. Lancaster and Julian Magnum, authors of the Union Square theater success, "Conscience." While the primary object of these gentlemen was to make an interesting play, it is said their treatment of the theme has shown a high moral and artistic purpose. The power of love to enoble the good and to strengthen the weak is clearly shown. The performance will be attended by a number of Elks in full evening dress. Bander orchestra will be engaged for the occasion and Sam Marshall will give a cornet solo, and Bauschman a flute solo.

"Three Old Sports from Oklahoma" is one of a score of new vocal eccentricities in "Duffy's Blunders," the new play which is said to give Comedian Barney Ferguson a livelier and better entertainment than the "funny little man" has ever boasted, and everyone knows he has had some rattlers. First offering of the new vehicle here on Tuesday evening at the Academy of Music.

Pauline Hall will appear at the Academy of Music on Sept. 26 in the new opera, "Doreus," which was written for her by Paulton.

A bright, breezy performance is given by the Watson Sisters' Extravaganza and Novelty company at Davis' theater this week. Large crowds attend the afternoon and evening performances.

HONORS FOR CHAUNCEY DEPEW.

Representative Scrantonians Will Call on Him This Morning.

Mayor W. L. Connell and Lieutenant Governor L. A. Watres, left last night for New York city where they will be joined by James P. Dickson. These gentlemen represent the committee which will endeavor to persuade Chauncey M. Depew to come to Scranton and lecture in the interest of the Sheridan Monument fund.

They have an appointment for 10 o'clock today when they will present resolutions of the board of trade, city council and the board of control desiring Mr. Depew's presence in the city.

## UPHELD THE PASTOR

Congregation of Rev. August Lange's Church Refuses His Resignation.

RESIGNATION OF FOUR ELDERS

They Severed Their Relations with the Church Because the Pastor's Resignation Was Not Accepted. Miss Laura Pfeiffer, Who Preferred the Charges, Did Not Materialize.

A quietus was last night put upon the slanderous gossiping against the character of Rev. August Lange, of the Hickory Street Presbyterian church, which has been freely circulated among the congregation by certain disaffected members of the church.

A few months ago Mr. Lange began to realize that a contingent of the congregation was working against him and he concluded that there was nothing left for him to do, but after his consultation with the church, four of the elders became openly opposed to him, and they left no stone unturned to militate against him. They were Peter Hartman, Fred Kellerman, Jacob Emlich and John Hahn, sr., and recently they insisted that Mr. Lange must be deposed.

Their chance came when Miss Laura Pfeiffer, a sister of Mrs. C. L. Wisswasser, complained of the undue familiarity of Mr. Lange on one occasion of her visit to his house. When these four elders her story they demanded Mr. Lange's resignation. The remainder of the board of elders however refused to heed the gossip and took no notice of the attacks on their pastor.

Mr. Lange denied in toto the charges preferred by Miss Pfeiffer and in this way the matter rested for a few months.

THE FIRST TROUBLE.

A TRIBUNE reporter interviewed Mr. Lange last night after the meeting. He said that one Sunday a few months ago he delivered a sermon on the Lord's prayer. His remarks were excepted to by these elders and they waited upon him to change his treatment of that particular subject to the way they thought it should be dealt with. His refusal was the beginning of the tempest, and since then his every action has been observed with close scrutiny. The trouble became so prominent that Mr. Lange decided to resign, and after the morning services last Sunday he read his resignation from the pulpit.

The elders waited upon him, those who had confidence in him, and requested him to reconsider his determination, which he steadfastly refused to do. So they announced a special meeting for the subsequent Thursday, which was last night, to take action on the resignation. The church hall was filled with the members of the congregation and Miss Pfeiffer was expected to be on hand and substantiate her charges against Mr. Lange.

All eyes turned toward the door anticipating the advent of Miss Pfeiffer, but she came not, neither did the elders who were to press the charge.

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The next thing in order was the election of their successors. Seven names were placed in nomination and the vote showed that the following four had received the highest votes: Charles Heinzer, Charles Schenck, Jacob F. Miller and John Schneider.

At this point Mr. Lange, who had been present throughout the meeting, ready to answer any aspersions against his character. When he saw that there was a unanimous sentiment permeating the meeting confident in his uprightness he addressed the congregation thanking all for the manifestation of good will and stating that he revoked his resignation and would labor on for the spiritual welfare of the church.

Mr. Lange then offered prayer and pronounced the benediction.

LIVE SPORTING TOPICS.

The Waverly and Factoryville Base Ball clubs will play on the grounds at Valley Wednesday next at 2:30 p. m.

The first foot ball game in the season will be played by the Scranton club on Sept. 23 with Wyoming seminary. Until after the first game Manager Cahill will not fully decide on the make-up of his eleven.

Members of the Wilkes-Barre base ball club will be in the city yesterday trying to make arrangements for an exhibition game with Boston in this city on Oct. 6. The scheme is to make up a team composed of members of the Wilkes-Barre club and Cubs and Rogers of Scranton, and play three games with Boston, two in Wilkes-Barre on Oct. 4 and 5 and one in Scranton on Oct. 6.

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